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April 26, 2011

### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer

**Acting Staff Director** 

FROM:

Patricia Carmona A for PC

Chief Compliance Officer

Debbie Chacona LC
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

BY:

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Compliance Branch

SUBJECT:

Administrative Fine Program -

Final Determination Recommendation for the 2010 October Quarterly

Report (Non-Election Sensitive)

Also attached are two lists of political committees and their treasurers against which the Commission has found reason to believe (RTB) and assessed proposed civil money penalties calculated at RTB for failure to file or failure to timely file the 2010 October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive). The first list represents the committees that have paid the civil money penalty and the second list represents the committees that have not paid the civil money penalty. The committees that have not paid have been given at least forty (40) days from the date of the Commission's RTB finding to remit payment.

In accordance with 11 CFR § 111.34 and 11 CFR § 111.40, the Commission shall send a final determination notice to those respondents that have oither paid or not paid the civil money penalty.

For your information, seventeen (17) committees disclosed a level of activity after the RTB finding which would result in a lowered civil money penalty. Of these, eight (8) committees will be assessed a civil money penalty at Final Determination (FD) that has been reduced since the RTB finding, and nine (9) committees will be assessed a civil money penalty of \$0 at FD. An overview of each of these cases has been provided below.

Cheryle Jackson for U S Senate (AF 2214) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The contenttee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$2,056 (praviously estimated to be \$330,242), thus the fine would be lowered from \$8,800 to \$250.

Clark Vandeventer for Congress 2010 (AF 2216) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$62,597), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$2,970).

Dede for Congress Inc 2010 (AF 2218) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$254,324), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$11,000).

Dick Kelsey for Congress (AF 2220) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$88,366), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$3,850).

Ethan Hastert for Congress Committee (AF 2222) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$224 (previously estimated to be \$249,429), thus the fine would be lowered from \$7,150 to \$224.

Herrmann for Congress (AF 2224) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$402,456), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$9,900).

Jim Holt Campaign Committee (AF 2226) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$73,884), which would result in no civil muney penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$2,970).

Mark French for Congress (AF 2234) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$34,594), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$990).

Mike Gravel for President 2008 (AF 2236) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$10 (previously estimated to be \$48,012), thus the fine would be lowered from \$2,227 to \$562.

Mullen for Congress (AF 2238) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$89 (previously estimated to be \$33,765), thus the fine would be lowered from \$990 to \$89. The committee paid \$90.90 (see first list); therefore, we will issue a refund for the difference (\$1.90).

Scott Taylor for Congress (AF 2243) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$27,498), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$990).

Shadwick for Congress (AF 2245) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$3,406 (previously estimated to be \$39,273), thus the fine would be lowered from \$990 to \$250.

Sheldon Goldstein for Congress (AF 2246) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$35,241), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$990).

Singh for Congress (AF 2248) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$104,415), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$6,187).

Torres for Congress 2010 (AF 2251) filed the 2010 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil

Also, one (1) committee detailed below designated a new Treasurer after the RTB finding:

• Lowry for Congress (AF 2231) filed an Amended Statement of Organization after the RTB finding designating Ruth Bell as Treasurer (see second list).

### **RAD Recommendation**

- (1)
- (2) Make final determination that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the attached reports violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalties so indicated.
- (3) Send the appropriate letters.

# 2010 OCTOBER QUARTERLY Not Election Sensitive 10/15/2010 H\_S\_P\_UNAUTH Federal Election Commission FD Circulation Report Fine Not Paid

W RTB Date RTB Penalty Days Since FD Penalty RTB	12/16/2010 \$8,800 133 \$250	12/15/2010 \$2,970 133 \$0
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LOA	\$2,058	S
Days Late	Not Filed	Not Filed
Receipt Date Days Late	01/31/2011	01/25/2011 Not Filed
Treasurer	CAROL STANLEY-ROBBINS 01/31/2011 Not Filed	CLARK VANDEVENTER
Committee ID	C00463950	C00477869
Candidate Name	JACKSON, CHERYLE C00463950	VANDEVENTER, CLARK C00477869
Committee Name	_	CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR
AF#	2214	2216

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8	\$3,850	8	\$224	æ	95		088	\$4,950	066\$	\$1,980	8	\$562
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12/16/2010	12/15/2010	12/16/2010	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	12/16/2010	,	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	12/15/2010	12/15/2010
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8	\$84,068 (est)	&	\$224	0\$	05	•	\$31,641 (est)	\$116,338 (est)	\$35,731	\$33,156	0\$	\$10
Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	•	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed
12/14/2010		01/21/2011	12/22/2010	01/07/2011	01/11/2011	•			02/22/2011	12/03/2010	01/21/2011	04/18/2011
DIERDRE K. SCOZZAFAVA	DEON LONG	JOHN B. BARRETT	LARRY NELSON	FRANK J. DEMILO, CPA	MARC MILLSAP		ROB FLINT	LLOYD COLONA	RUTH BELL	EDWARD LYNCH	KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH	MIKE GRAVEL
C00483976	C00486773	C00460220	C00483285	C00478008	C00473819	,	C00468420	C00477703	C00463273	C00446468	C00478907	C00423202
SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE'K	LONG, OMETRIAS DEON	KELSEY, RICHARD FRANKI IN	HASTERT, ETHAN ALLEN	HERRIMANN, THOMAS A	HOLT, JIM		BURNS, KEVIN A	POWELL, KEVIN	LOWRY, ROBERT PAUL	LYNCH, EDWARD J	FRENCH, MARK TODD	GRAVEL, MIKE
DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC	DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS	2220 DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS	ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE	HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS	JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE	•	KEVIN BURNS 4 US SENATE	KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010	LOWRY FOR CONGRESS	LYNCH FOR CONGRESS	MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS	MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008
2218	2219	2220	2222	2224	2228	•	8222	2228	2231	2233	2234	2236

SCOTT TAYLOR FOR TAYLOR, SCOTT W C00468284   ITHIEL HA	C00468264			THIEL HARLEY THOMAS, IV 02/17/2011   NOT FILED	02/17/2011	Not Filed	24	•	12/15/2010	086\$	133	8
SHADWICK, MONTE C00463497	C00463497	ļ <u>.</u>	₹	AMES A. LAMBERT	01/31/2011 Not Filed	Not Filed	\$3,406	•	12/15/2010	\$880	133	\$250
2246 SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR GOLDSTEIN, SHELDON C00473612	GOLDSTEIN, SHELDON C00473612	C00473512		JUSTIN MOORE	02/04/2011	Not Filed	8	٥	12/15/2010	088\$	133	<b>0</b>
SINGH FOR CONGRESS SINGH, NAVRAJ C00487712		C00467712		IIMOTHY J. DAVIS	02/03/2011	Not Filed	80	-	12/15/2010	\$8,187	133	036
TORRES FOR CONGRESS TORRES, ENRIQUE RAUL C00469892	TORRES, ENRIQUE RAUL C00469692	C00469692		THOMAS FREER	03/04/2011 Not Filed	Not Filed	\$7,486	0	12/15/2010	\$880	133	\$330

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AP#	AP# Committee Name	Candidate Name	Committee ID	Treasurer	Receipt Date Days Late	Days Late	LOA	₹	RTB Date	<b>RTB</b> Penalty	KTB Penalty Final Money Penalty	Date Paid	Amount
2213	2213 CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS	CARLINEO, GLORIA	000474049	GLORIA CARLINEO	12/07/2010	Not Filed	\$44,000	0	12/15/2010	086\$	066\$	01/25/2011	\$990
2225	JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE	PLEITIMAN, JAY SCOTT	C00461970	MARY LOU STUART	10/22/2010	7	\$60,174	0	12/15/2010	\$907	\$907	01/21/2011	\$907
2232	LUIS MEURICE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE	MEURICE, LUIS	Ç00483149	BERNARD A. BECKER	10/28/2010	£	\$57,483	•	12/16/2010	\$1,237	\$1,237	02/11/2011	\$1,237
2236	MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS	BURKE, MATTHEW	Ç00475085	JENNIFER BURKE	11/02/2010	18	\$3,344	٥	12/15/2010	\$115	\$115	01/28/2011	\$116
72237	MORGAN FOR CONGRESS	MORGAN, VINCENT SCOTT	C00463406	HON. RD SNYDEN	11/17/2010	Not Filad	\$4,665	•	12/15/2010	\$250	\$250	01/24/2011	\$250
2238	Ĭ	MULLEN, WESLEY MARTIN	C00480715	STUART MCMAHEN	01/24/2011	Not Filed	\$88	0	12/15/2010	086\$	68\$	01/26/2011	\$80.90
2242	RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS	LAKE, RICHARD DAVID GEORGE	C00473595	TERRANCE BRADLEY		Not Filed	\$33,729 (est)	0	12/16/2010	088\$	088\$	01/26/2011	088\$
2249	SUE LOWDEN FOR U S SENATE	TOWDEN, SUE	C00467761	BOB BEERS	10/22/2010	7	\$42,300	0	12/15/2010	\$340	\$340	12/31/2010	\$340
2250	TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS	WOOLRIDGE, TYMOTHE (TIM) LYNN	Ç00476432	CHARLES R. PARTLOW	11/22/2010	Not Filed	\$19,501		12/15/2010	999\$	099\$	01/24/2011	\$650
2253	2253 WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE	BOYD, WILLIE WILL	C00471433	WILLIE "WILL" BOYD, JR.	10/23/2010	80	\$16,581	•	12/15/2010	\$150	\$150	01/28/2011	\$150

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# BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of	)	
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Administrative Fines Final Determination	)	
Recommendation for the October Quarterly	)	
Report (Non-Election Sensitive):	)	
MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS,	)	AF# 2235
and BURKE, JENNIFER as treasurer;	)	
LUIS MEURICE FOR CONGRESS	)	<b>AF# 2232</b>
COMMITTEE, and BERNARD A	)	
BECKER as treasurer;	)	
WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE, and	)	<b>AF# 2253</b>
WILLIE "WILL" BOYD JR as treasurer;	)	
JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS	)	<b>AF# 2225</b>
COMMITTEE, and MARY LOU STUART	)	
as treasurer;	)	
SUE LOWDEN FOR U S SENATE, and	)	AF# 2249
BOB BEERS as treasurer;	)	
CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS, and	)	AF# 2213
CARLINEO, GLORIA as treasurer;	)	
CHERYILE JACKSON FOR US SENATE,	)	AF# 2214
and CAROL STANLEY-ROBBINS as	)	
treasurer;	)	
CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR	)	AF# 2216
CONGRESS 2010, and CLARK	)	
VANDEVENTER as treasurer;	j	
DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC, and	)	AF# 2218
SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE K as treasurer;	)	
DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS, and	)	AF# 2219
DEON LONG as treasurer;	)	
DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS, and	j	AF# 2220
JOHN B BARRETT as treasurer;	Ś	

ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and NELSON, LARRY as treasurer; HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS, and FRANK J DEMILO CPA as treasurer; JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, and MARC MILLSAP as treasurer;	)	AF# 2222 AF# 2224 AF# 2226
KEVIN BURNS 4 US SENATE, and ROB FLINT as treasurer; KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010, and LLOYD COLONA as treasurer;	)	AF# 2228 AF# 2229
LOWRY FOR CONGRESS, and BELL, RUTH as treasurer; LYNCH FOR CONGRESS, and EDWARD LYNCH as treasurer;	)	AF# 2231 AF# 2233
MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS, and KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH as treasurer; MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008,	)	AF# 2234 AF# 2236
and MIKE GRAVEL as treasurer; MORGAN FOR CONGRESS, and SNYDEN, RD HON. as treasurer; MULLEN FOR CONGRESS, and	)	AF# 2237 AF# 2238
MCMAHEN, STUART as treasurer;	<b>)</b>	
RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS, and	)	AF# 2242
BRADLEY, TERRANCE as treasurer; SCOTT TAYLOR FOR CONGRESS, and ITHIEL HARLEY THOMAS IV as treasurer;	)))	AF# 2243
SHADWICK FOR CONGRESS, and JAMES A LAMBERT as treasurer;	)	AF# 2245
SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR CONGRESS, and JUSTIN MOORE as treasurer;	)	AF# 2246
SINGH FOR CONGRESS, and TIMOTHY J DAVIS as treasurer; TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS,	)	AF# 2248 AF# 2250
and CHARLES R PARTLOW as treasurer;	)	I II I

TORRES FOR CONGRESS 2010, and ) AF# 2251 THOMAS FREER as treasurer; )

### **CERTIFICATION**

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election

Commission, do hereby cartify that on April 28, 2011 the Commission took the

following actions on the Administrative Finas Final Determination Recommendation

for the October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive) as recommended in the

Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated April 26, 2011, on the following

committees:

AF#2235 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS, and BURKE, JENNIFER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2232 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that LUIS MEURICE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and BERNARD A BECKER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2253 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE, and WILLIE "WILL" BOYD JR as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2225 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and MARY LOU STUART as treusurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money menalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2249 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SUE LOWDEN FOR U S SENATE, and BOB BEERS as treatmer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty sn indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGaha II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2213 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS, and CARLINEO, GLORIA as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the necision.

AF#2214 Deciced by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that CHERYLE JACKSON FOR U S SENATE, and CAROL STANLEY-ROBBINS as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2216 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR CONGRESS 2010, and CLARK VANDEVENTER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Banerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Patersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2218 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC, and SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE K as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2219 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS, and DEON LONG as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2220 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS, and JOHN B BARRETT as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate

letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2222 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and NELSON, LARRY as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Banerly, Huhter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintsaub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2224 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS, and FRANK J DEMILO CPA as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2226 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, and MARC MILLSAP as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2228 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that KEVIN BURNS 4 US SENATE, and ROB FLINT as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2229 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010, and LLOYD COLONA as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil meney penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2231 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that LOWRY FOR CONGRESS, and BHLL, RUTH as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) astil assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2233 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that LYNCH FOR CONGRESS, and EDWARD LYNCH as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2234 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS, and KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2236 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008, and MIKE GRAVEL as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGaha II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintmub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2237 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MORGAN FOR CONGRESS, and SNYDEN, RD HON. as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2238 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MULLEN FOR CONGRESS, and MCMAHEN, STUART as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2242 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS, and BRADLEY, TERRANCE as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2243 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SCOTT TAYLOR FOR CONGRESS, and ITHIEL HARLEY THOMAS IV as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty to indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2245 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SHADWICK FOR CONGRESS, and JAMES A LAMBERT as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2246 Dacided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR CONGRESS, and JUSTIN MOORE as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2248 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SINGH FOR CONGRESS, and TIMOTHY J DAVIS as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil meney penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2250 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS, and CHARLES R PARTLOW as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2251 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) make a final determination that TORRES FOR CONGRESS 2010, and THOMAS FREER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Benerly, Hunter, McGaen H, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

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Attest:

Shawn Woodhead Werth

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Secretary and Clerk of the Commission



December 21, 2010

Thomas Freer, in official capacity as Treasurer Torres for Congress 2010 108 Midland Street Bridgeport, CT 06605

C00469692 AF#: 2251

Dear Mr. Freer:

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), requires that your committee file an October Quarterly Report of Receipts and Disbursements every calendar year. This report, covering the period through September 30th, shall be filed no later than October 15th. 2 U.S.C. § 434(a). Records at the Federal Election Commission ("FEC") indicate that this report was not filed within thirty (30) days of the due date. You should file this report if you have not already done so.

The Act permits the FEC to impose civil money penalties for violations of the reporting requirements of 2 U.S.C. § 434(a). 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4). On December 15, 2010, the FEC found that there is reason to believe ("RTB") that Torres for Congress 2010 and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) by failing to file timely this report on or before October 15th.

Based on the FEC's schedules of civil money penalties at 11 C.F.R. § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage is \$990. Please see the attached copy of the Commission's administrative fine regulations at 11 C.F.R. §§ 111.30-111.46. Attachment 1. The Commission's website contains further information about how the administrative fine program works and how the fines are calculated. See <a href="http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml">http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml</a>. 11 C.F.R. § 111.34. Your payment of \$990 is due within forty (40) days of the finding, or by January 24, 2011, and is based on these factors:

Sensitivity of Report: Not Election Sensitive

Level of Activity: \$32,468 Number of Days Late: Not Filed

Number of Previous Civil Money Penalties Assessed: 0

At this juncture, the following courses of action are available to you:

## 1. If You Choose to Challengo the RTB Finding and/or Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to challenge the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, you must submit a written response, including the AF# found at the top of page 1 under your to the receive committee's identification number, to the FEC's Office of Administrative Review, 999 E Street,

NW, Washington, DC 20463. Your response must be received within forty (40) days of the Commission's RTB finding, or January 24, 2011. 11 C.F.R. § 111.35(a). Your written response must include the reason(s) why you are challenging the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, and must include the factual basis supporting the reason(s) and supporting documentation. The FEC strongly encourages that documents be summitted in the form of affidavits or declarations. 11 C.F.R. § 111.36(c).

The FEC will only consider challenges that are based on at least one of three grounds: (1) a factual error in the RTB finding; (2) miscalculation of the calculated civil money penalty by the FEC; or (3) your demonstrated use of best efforts to file in a timely manner when prevented from doing so by reasonably unforeseen circumstances that were beyond your control. 11 C.F.R. § 111.35(b). In order for a challenge to be considered on the basis of best efforts, you must have filed the required report no later than 24 hours after the end of these reasonably unforeseen circumstances. Id. Examples of circumstances that will be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to, (1) a failure of Commission commuters or Commission-provided software desnite your seeking technical assistance from Commission personnel and resources; (2) a widespread disruption of information transmissions over the Internet that is not caused by a failure of the Commission's or your computer systems or Internet service provider; and (3) severe weather or other disaster-related incident. 111.35(c). Examples of circumstances that will not be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to, (1) negligence; (2) delays caused by vendors or contractors; (3) treasurer and staff illness, inexperience or unavailability; (4) committee computer, software, or Internet service provider failures; (5) failure to know filing dates; and (6) failure to use filing software properly. 11 C.F.R. § 111.35(d).

The "failure to raise an argument in a timely fashion during the administrative process shall be deemed a waiver" of your right to present such argument in a petition to the U.S. district court under 2 U.S.C. § 437g. 11 C.F.R. § 111.38.

If you intend to be represented by counsel, please advise the Office of Administrative Review. You should provide, in writing, the name, address and telephone number of your counsel and authorize counsel to receive notifications and communications relating to this challenge and imposition of the calculated civil money penalty.

## 2. If You Choose Not to Pay the Civil Money Ponalty and Not to Submit a Challenge

If you do not pay the calculated civil money penalty and do not submit a written response, the FaC will assume that the preceding factual allegations are true and make a final determination that Torres for Congress 2010 and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assess a civil money penalty.

Unpaid civil money penalties assessed through the Administrative Fine regulations will be subject to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 ("DCA"), as amended by the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996, 31 U.S.C. § 3701 et seq. The FEC may take any and all appropriate action authorized and required by the DCA, as amended, including transfer to the U.S. Department of the Treasury for collection. 11 C.F.R. § 111.51(a)(2).

### 3. If You Choose to Pay the Civil Money Penalty

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If you should decide to pay the calculated civil money penalty, send the enclosed remittance form, along with your payment, to the FEC at the address on page 4. Upon receipt of your payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

This matter was generated based on information ascertained by the FEC in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities. 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(2). It will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. § 437f(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A) until it is placed on the public record in accordance with 11 C.F.R. § 111.42, unless you notify the FEC in writing that you wish the matter to be made public.

As noted earlier, you may obtain additional information on the FEC's administrative fine program, including the final regulations, on the FEC's website at <a href="http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml">http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml</a>. If you have questions regarding the payment of the calculated civil money penalty, please contact Sari Pickerall in the Reports Analysis Division at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5) or (202) 694-1130. If you have questions regarding the submission of a challenge, please contact the Office of Administrative Review at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (press 0, then ext. 1660) or (202) 694-1660.

On behalf of the Commission,

Cynthia L. Bauerly

Vice Chair

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### ADMINISTRATIVE FINE REMITTANCE & PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

In accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 C.F.R. § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at RTB is \$990 for the 2010 October Ouarterly Report.

Please mail this remittance with a check or money order made payable to the Federal Election Commission to the following address:

Federal Election Commission P.O. Box 979058 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If you choose to send your remittance and payment by courier or overnight delivery, please use this address:

U.S. Bank - Government Lockbox FEC #979058 1005 Convention Plaza Attn: Government Lockbox, SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101

The remittance and your payment are due by January 24, 2011. Upon receipt of your remittance and payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

### PAYMENTS BY PERSONAL CHECK

Personal checks will be converted into electronic funds transfers (EFTS). Your account will be electronically debited for the amount on your check, usually within 24 hours, and the debit will appear on your regular statement. We will destroy your original check and keep a copy of it. In case the EFT cannot be processed for technical reasons, you authorize us to process the copy in lieu of the original check. Should the EFT not be completed because of insufficient funds, we may try to make the transfer twice.

### PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THE PORTION BELOW WITH YOUR FAYMENT

FOR: Torres for Congress 2010

FEC ID#: C00469692

**AF#**: 2251

PAYMENT DUE DATE: January 24, 2011

**PAYMENT AMOUNT DUE: \$990** 

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December 10, 2010

### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

THE COMMISSION

THROUGH:

ALEC PALMER

ACTING STAFF DIRECTOR

FROM:

PATRICIA CARMONA DE FOR PC

CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICER

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ASSISTANT STAFF DIRECTOR REPORTS ANALYSIS DIVISION

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BY:

NATALIYA IOFFE/SARI PICKERALL/IAN WANDNER

COMELIANCE BRANCH

SUBJECT:

REASON TO BELIEVE RECOMMENDATION – 2610 OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (NON-ELECTION SENSITIVE) FOR THE

ADMINISTRATIVE FINE PROGRAM

Attached is a list of political committees and their treasurers who failed to file the 2010 October Quarterly Report in accordance with 2 U.S.C. 434(a). The October Quarterly Report was due on October 15, 2010.

The committees listed in the attached RTB Circulation Report either failed to file the report, filed the report more than five (5) days after the due date, or filed the report more than thirty (30) days after the due date (considered a non-filed report). In accordance with the schedule of civil money penalties for reports at 11 CFR 111.43, these committees should be assessed the civil money penalties highlighted on the attached circulation report.

### Recommendation

- 1. Find reason to believe that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the RTB Circulation Report violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalties would be the amounts indicated on the RTB Circulation Report.
- 2. Send the appropriate letters.

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Reason to Believe Circulation Report

2010 OCTOBER QUARTERLY- Not Election Sensitive 10/15/2010 H\_S\_P\_UNAUTH

RTB Penalty	\$1,402	\$990	\$8,800	\$2,970	\$2,970		\$11,000	\$3,850	\$3,850	\$7,150	\$1,535	\$9,900	206\$	\$2,970			\$4,950		2890
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FOA	\$51,704	\$44,000	\$330,242 (est)	\$51,165 (est)	\$62,597 (est)		\$254,324 (est)	\$84,068 (est)	\$88,366 (est)	\$249,429 (est)	\$112,696	\$402,456 (est)	\$60,174	\$73,884 (est)			\$116,338 (est)		\$25,582 (est)
Days Late	13	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	<del>-</del>	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	2	Not Filed	2	Not Filed			Not Filed	•	Not Filed
Receipt Date Days Late	10/28/2010	12/7/2010				- ! !					10/22/2010		10/22/2010						
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Threshold	\$375,326	\$181,423	\$1,651,208	\$102,330	\$187,791		\$762,971	\$252,205	\$530,198	\$1,247,146	\$385,138	\$1,207,368	\$286,236	\$295,537			\$349,015	•	\$127,909
Treasurer	DAVID EVERETT MARKO	GLORIA CARLINEO	CAROL STANLEY- ROBBINS	BRUCE BLOCH	CLARK VANDEVENTER		DIERDRE K SCOZZAFAVA	DEON LONG	JOHIN B BARRETT	LARRY NELSON	ROSS PARKER BIELING	FRANK J DEMILO CPA	MARY LOU STUART	MARC MILLSAP	-		LLOYD COLONA		ROBERT PAUL
Candidate Name	WILLIAMS, ANDRE LEWIS	CARLINEO, GLORIA	JACKSON, CHERYLE	FLUME, CHARLES WILLIAM SR.	VANDEVENTER, CLARK		SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE K	LONG, OMETRIAS DEON	KELSEY, RICHARD FRANKLIN	HASTERT, ETHAN ALLEN	BIELING, ROSS PARKER	HERRMANN, THOMAS A	FLEITMAN, JAY SCOTT	HOLT, JIM	-		, POWELL, KEVIN	•	LOWRY, ROBERT PAUL
Committee Name	ANDRE WILLIAMS FOR CONGRESS	CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS	CHERYLE JACKSON FOR US SENATE	CHUCK FLUME FOR CONGRESS	CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR CONGRESS 2010	.4	DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC	DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS	DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS	ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE	FRIENDS OF ROSS BIELING	HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS	JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE	JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE			KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010		LOWRY FOR CONGRESS
Committee (D	C00458745	C00474049	C00463950	C00480434	C00477869		C00463976	C00465773	C00460220	C00463265	C00481184	C00479006	C00461970	C00473819			C00477703	•	2231   C00463273
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2232	C00483149	CONGRESS COMMITTEE	MEURICE, LUIS	BERNARD A BECKER	\$184,913	0	10/26/2010	11	\$57,453	\$1,237
2233	C00446468	LYNCH FOR CONGRESS	LYNCH, EDWARD J	EDWARD LYNCH	\$223,336	4	12/3/2010	Not Filed	\$33,155	\$1,980
2234	C00479907	MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS	FRENCH, MARK TODD	KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH	\$103,782	0		Not Filed	\$34,594 (est)	066\$
2235	C00475095	MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS	BURKE, MATTHEW	BURKE, JENNIFER	\$100,517	0	11/2/2010	18	\$3,344	\$115
2236	C00423202	MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008	GRAVEL, MIKE	MIKE GRAVEL	\$288,073	5		Not Filed	\$48,012 (est)	\$2,227
2237	C00463408	MORGAN FOR CONGRESS	MORGAN, VINCENT SCOTT	HON RD SNYDEN	\$152,791	0	11/17/2010	Not Filed	\$34,665	\$250
38	2238   C00480715	MULLEN FOR CONGRESS	MULLEN, WESLEY MARTIN	STUART WAYNE MCMAHEN	\$101,296	0		Not Filed	\$33,765 (est)	066\$
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2242	C00473595	RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS	LAKE, RICHARD DAVID GEORGE	TERRANCE	\$101,188	0		Not Filed	\$33,729 (est)	\$990
2243	C00468264	SCOTT TAYLOR FOR CONGRESS	TAYLOR, SCOTT W	THIEL HARLEY	\$137,491	0		Not Filed	\$27,498 (est)	066\$
2244	C00468934	SCOTT WALLACE FOR US CONGRESS	WALLACE, SCOTT	MAUREEN	\$273,613	0		Not Filed	\$68,403 (est)	\$2,970
2245	C00463497	SHADWICK FOR CONGRESS	SHADWICK, MONTE	JAMES A LAMBERT	\$157,091	0		Not Filed	\$39,273 (est)	\$390
2246	C00473512	SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR CONGRESS	OOLDSTEIN, SHELDON	JUSTIN MOORE	\$176,204	0		Not Filed	\$35,241 (est)	\$990
2247	C00471516	SIAS FOR CONGRESS	SIAS, LANGHORNE C	CORY DICKSON	\$356,280	0		Not Filed	\$89,070 (est)	\$3,850
2248	C00467712	SINGH FOR CONGRESS	SINGH, NAVRAJ	TIMOTHY J DAVIS	\$417,659	1		Not Filed	\$104,415 (est)	\$6,187
2249	C00467761	SUE LOWDEN FOR US	LOWDEN, SUE	BOB BEERS	\$8,068,867	. 0	10/22/2010	7	\$42,982	\$340
2250	C00476432	TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS	WOOLRIDGE, TYMOTHE	CHARLES R PARTLOW	\$1,107,167	0	11/22/2010	Not Filed	\$19,501	\$550
2251	C00469692	TORRES FOR CONGRESS 2010	TORRES, ENRIQUE RAUL	THOMAS FREER	\$129,870	0		Not Filed	\$32,468 (est)	\$390
2252	C00477844	WADE FOR DELAWARE	WADE, KEVIN LYNN	HARRY	\$135,364	0		Not Filed	\$67,682 (est)	\$2,970
53	2253 C00471433	WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE	BOYD, WILLIE WILL	WILLIE "WILL"	\$131,829	0	10/23/2010	80	\$16,581	\$150

# BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)
Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2010 October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive) for the Administrative Fine Program:	) ) )
MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS, and BURKE, JENNIFER as treasurer;	) AF# 2235
ANDRE WILLIAMS FOR CONGRESS, and DAVID EVERHTT MARKO as treasurer;	) AF# 2212 )
LUIS MEURICE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and BERNARD A BECKER as treasurer;	) AF# 2232 )
WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE, and WILLIE "WILL" BOYD JR as treasurer;	) AF# 2253
FRIENDS OF ROBS BIELING, and BIELING, ROSS PARKER as treasurer;	) AF# 2223
JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS COMMETTEE, and MARY LOU STUART	) AF# 2225
as treasurer;	,
SUE LOWDEN FOR U S SENATE, and BOB BEERS as treasurer;	) AF# 2249 )
CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS, and CARLINEO, GLORIA as treasurer;	) AF# 2213 )
CHERYLE JACKSON FOR U.S. SENATE, and CAROL STANLEY-ROBBINS as treasurer;	) AF# 2214 )
CHUCK FLUME FOR CONGRESS, and BRUCE BLOCH as treasurer;	) AF# 2215 )
CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR CONGRESS 2010, and CLARK	) AF# 2216 )
VANDEVENTER as treasurer;	,
DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC, and	" ) AF# 2218
SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE K as treasurer; DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS, and	) ) AF# 2219
DEON LONG as treasurer;	)

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# Federal Election Commission Certification for Administrative Fines December 15, 2010

December 15, 2010		
DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS, and JOHN B BARRETT as treasurer;	)	AF# 2220
ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and NELSON, LARRY as treasurer;	)	AF# 2222
HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS, and FRANK J DEMILO CPA as treasurer; JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE,	)	AF# 2224 AF# 2226
and MARC MILLSAP as treasurer;	ý	
KEVIN BURNS 4 US SENATE, and ROB FLINT as treasurer;	)	AF# 2228
KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010, and LLOYD COLONA as treasurer; LOWRY FOR CONGRESS, and ROBERT	)	AF# 2229 AF# 2231
PAUL LOWRY as treasurer; LYNCH FOR CONGRESS, and EDWARD	)	AF# 2233
LYNCH as treasurer; MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS, and KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH as treasurer;	)))	AF# 2234
MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008, and MIKE GRAVEL as treasurer;	)	AF# 2236
MORGAN FOR CONGRESS, and SNYDEN, RD HON. as treasurer; MULLEN FOR CONGRESS, and	)	AF# 2237 AF# 2238
STUART WAYNE MCMAHEN as treasurer;	)	
RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS, and BRADLEY, TERRANCE as treasurer;	)	AF# 2242
SCOTT TAYLOR FOR CONGRESS, and ITHIEL HARLEY THOMAS IV as	)	AF# 2243
treasurer; SCOTT WALLACE FOR US CONGRESS, and RUGGIERO, MAUREEN as treasurer;	))	AF# 2244
SHADWICK FOR CONGRESS, and JAMES A LAMBERT as treasurer;	)	AF# 2245

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Federal Election Commission Certification for Administrative Fines December 15, 2010

SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR	)	AF# 2246
CONGRESS, and JUSTIN MOORE as	)	
treasurer;	)	
SIAS FOR CONGRESS, and CORY	)	AF# 2247
DICKSON as treasurer;	)	
SINGH FOR CONGRESS, and TIMOTHY	)	AF# 2248
J DAVIS as treasurer;	)	
TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS,	)	AF# 2250
and CHARLES R PARTLOW as treasurer;	)	
TORRES FOR CONGRESS 2010, and	)	AF# 2251
THOMAS FREER as treasurer;	)	
WADE FOR DELAWARE, and HARRY	)	AF# 2252
SKILTON as treasurer:	)	

### CERTIFICATION

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election

Commission, do hereby certify that on December 15, 2010 the Commission took the
following actions on the Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2010 October

Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive) for the Administrative Fine Program as
recommended in the Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated December 13,
2010, on the following committees:

AF#2235 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MATTHEW BURKE FOR CONGRESS, and BURKE, JENNIFER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2212 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ANDRE WILLIAMS FOR CONGRESS, and DAVID EVERETT MARKO as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners

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Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2232 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LUIS MEURICE FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and BERNARD A BECKER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2253 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WILL BOYD FOR US SENATE, and WILLIE "WILL" BOYD JR as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) sund the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2223 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that FRIENDS OF ROSS BIELING, and BIELING, ROSS PARKER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2225 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JAY FLEITMAN FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and MARY LOU STUART as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2249 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SUE LOWDEN FOR U S SENATE, and BOB BEERS as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2213 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CARLINEO FOR CONGRESS, and CARLINEO, GLORIA as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount

indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2214 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CHERYLE JACKSON FOR U S SENATE, and CAROL STANLEY-ROBBINS as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2215 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CHUCK FLUME FOR CONGRESS, and BRUCE BLOCH as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2216 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CLARK VANDEVENTER FOR CONGRESS 2010, and CLARK VANDEVENTER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Peterson, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2218 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DEDE FOR CONGRESS INC, and SCOZZAFAVA, DIERDRE K as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2219 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DEON LONG FOR CONGRESS, and DEON LONG as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the raport; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2220 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DICK KELSEY FOR CONGRESS, and JOHN B BARRETT as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C.

434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintmub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2222 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ETHAN HASTERT FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE, and NELSON, LARRY as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2224 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that HERRMANN FOR CONGRESS, and FRANK J DEMILO CPA as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Baucrly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2226 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JIM HOLT CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE, and MARC MILLSAP as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2228 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KEVIN BURNS 4 US SENATE, and ROB FLINT as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2229 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KEVIN POWELL FOR CONGRESS 2010, and LLOYD COLONA as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C.

AF#2231 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LOWRY FOR CONGRESS, and ROBERT PAUL LOWRY as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGaha II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2233 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LYNCH FOR CONGRESS, and EDWARD LYNCH as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2234 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MARK FRENCH FOR CONGRESS, and KATHLEEN CARRELL FRENCH as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2236 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MIKE GRAVEL FOR PRESIDENT 2008, and MIKE GRAVEL as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2237 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MORGAN FOR CONGRESS, and SNYDEN, RD HON. as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2238 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MULLEN FOR CONGRESS, and STUART WAYNE MCMAHEN as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunten, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2242 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that RICHARD LAKE FOR CONGRESS, and BRADLEY, TERRANCE as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2243 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SCOTT TAYLOR FOR CONGRESS, and ITHIEL HARLEY THOMAS IV as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2245 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SHADWICK FOR CONGRESS, and JAMES A LAMBERT as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2246 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SHELDON GOLDSTEIN FOR CONGRESS, and JUSTIN MOORE as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a proliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated en the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bnuerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2247 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SIAS FOR CONGRESS, and CORY DICKSON as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the oivil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2248 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SINGH FOR CONGRESS, and TIMOTHY J DAVIS as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2250 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that TIM WOOLDRIDGE FOR CONGRESS, and CHARLES R PARTLOW as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2251 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that TORRES FOR CUNGRESS 2010, and THOMAS FREER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2252 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WADE FOR DELAWARE, and HARRY SKILTON as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Date Shawn Woodhead Werth

Secretary med Clerk of the Commission



April 29, 2011

Thomas Freer, in official capacity as Treasurer Torres for Congress 2010 108 Midland Street Bridgeport, CT 06605

C00469692 AF#: 2251

Dear Mr. Freer:

On December 15, 2010, the Federal Election Commission ("the Commission") found reason to believe ("RTB") that Torres for Congress 2010 and its treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) for filing late or failing to file the 2010 October Quarterly Report. By letter dated December 21, 2010, the Commission sent notification of the RTB finding that included a civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage of \$990 in accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 C.F.R. § 111.43. Within 40 days of the FEC's RTB finding, you were required to either transmit payment of the calculated civil money penalty or submit a written response challenging either the RTB finding or the calculated civil money penalty. The amount of the civil money penalty has been changed to reflect the actual level of activity of the 2010 October Quarterly Report.

The FEC did not receive payment of the calculated civil money penalty or a written response within the time permitted. The FEC made a final determination on April 28, 2011 that you, in your official capacity as treasurer, and Torres for Congress 2010 violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assessed a civil money penalty in the amount of \$330 in accordance with 11 C.F.R. § 111.43. The civil money penalty is based on these factors:

Election Sensitivity of Report: Not Election Sensitive

Level of Activity: \$7,486

Number of Days Late: Not Filed (reports not filed within thirty (30) days of the due date are

considered not filed for the purposes of calculating the penalty)

Number of Previous Civil Money Penalties Assessed: 0

At this juncture, the following courses of action are available to you:

# 1. If You Choose to Appeal the Final Determination and/or Civil Money Penalty

If you choose to appeal the final determination, you should submit a written petition, within 30 days of receipt of this letter, to the district court of the United States for the district in

which the committee or treasurer reside, or transact business, requesting that the final determination be modified or set aside. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(C)(iii). Your failure to raise an argument in a timely fashion during the administrative process shall be deemed a waiver of the respondents' right to present such argument in a petition to the district court under 2 U.S.C. § 437g. 11 C.F.R. § 111.38.

### 2. If You Choose Not to Pay the Civil Money Penalty and Not to Appeal

Unpaid civil money penalties assessed through the Administrative Fine regulations will be subject to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 ("DCA") as amended by the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 ("DCIA"), 31 U.S.C. § 3701 et seq. If you do not pay this debt within 30 days (or file a written petition to a federal district court - see below), the Commission will transfer the debt to the U.S. Department of the Treasury ("Treasury") for collection. Within 5 days of the transfer to Treasury, Treasury will contact the debtor and request payment. Treasury currently charges a fee of 28% of the civil money penalty amount for its collection services. The fee will be added to the amount of the civil money penalty that you owe. Should Treasury's attempts fail, Treasury will refer the debt to a private collection agency ("PCA"). If the debt remains unpaid, Treasury may recommend that the Commission refer the matter to the Department of Justice for litigation.

### 3. If You Choose to Pay the Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to pay the civil money penalty, send the enclosed remittance form, along with your payment, to the address on page 3 within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

The confidentiality provisions at 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12) no longer apply and this matter is new public. The file will be made a part of the public record pursuant to 11 C.F.R. § 111.42(b). Although the file must be placed on the public record within thirty (30) days from the date of the Commission's notification, this could occur at anytime following certification of the Commission's vote.

If you have any questions regarding the payment of the civil money penalty, please contact Sari Pickerall at Federal Election Commission, 999 E St., NW, Washington, DC 20463, or our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt, press 5) or (202) 694-1130.

On behalf of the Commission,

Cynthia L. Bauerly

Chair

### **ADMINISTRATIVE FINE PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS**

In accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 C.F.R. § 111.43, the civil money penalty is \$330 for the 2010 October Quarterly Report.

This penalty should be paid by check or money order made payable to the Federal Election Commission. It should be sent by mail to:

Federal Election Commission PO Box 979058 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If you choose to send your payment by courier or overnight delivery, please use this address:

U.S. Bank - Government Lockbox FEC #979058 1005 Convention Plaza Attn: Government Lockbox, SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101

The form and payment are due within 30 days of receipt of this letter.

### Payments by Personal Check

Personal checks will be converted into electronic funds transfers (EFTs). Your account will be electronically debited for the amount on the check, usually within 24 hours, and the debit will appear on your regular statement. We will destroy your original check and keep a copy of it. In case the EFT cannot be processed for technical reasons, you authorize us to process the copy in lieu of the original check. Should the EFT not be completed because of insufficient funds, we may try to make the transfer twice.

### PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THE PORTION BELOW WITH YOUR PAYMENT

FOR: Torres for Congress 2010

FEC ID#: C00469692

AF#: 2251

**PAYMENT AMOUNT DUE: \$330** 

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FEC ID#: C00469692

**VE#: 5521** 

PAYMENT DUE DATE: 130000

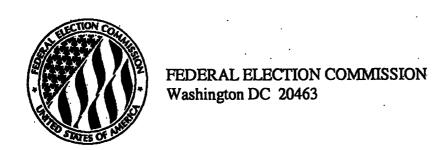
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